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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

20th JAN 14 2004

US PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q54114

KAWABE, YASUMASA, et al.

Appln. No.: 09/295,329

Group Art Unit: 1752

Confirmation No.: 7050

Examiner: Y. THORNTON

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For: POSITIVE PHOTSENSITIVE RESIN COMPOSITION

REQUEST FOR REFUND

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Sir:

Applicant hereby respectfully requests a refund in the amount of \$72.00. This refund is to be credited to Deposit Account No. 19-4880.

On December 18, 2002, Applicants' representative's PTO Deposit Account No. 19-4880 was charged the fee of \$72.00. It appears that the fee was for 4 additional claims ($\$18.00 \times 4 = \72.00).

The maximum total number of claims ever pending the above-identified application is 26. (On November 19, 2001, Applicants added four dependent claims and paid for a total of 26 claims.) Therefore, any fee for claims in excess of 26 is in error.

Applicants did file an Amendment on December 10, 2002 that amended three claims from dependent to independent form. However, Applicants paid, at that time, the fee of \$84.00 for the additional independent claims.

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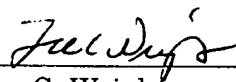
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